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It is unclear to the examiner what claims are pending in the above named application. Applicant's appeal brief has been received 21 October 2003, however, the attached document has been received 8 December 2003 cancelling pending claims 5-12. Claims 5 to 12 are repeated below but there do not appear to be any amendments to the claims and the numbering of the claims are the same.

**§ 1.126 Numbering of claims.**

The original numbering of the claims must be preserved throughout the prosecution. When claims are canceled the remaining claims must not be renumbered. When claims are added, they must be numbered by the applicant consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered claim previously presented (whether entered or not). When the application is ready for allowance, the examiner, if necessary, will renumber the claims consecutively in the order in which they appear or in such order as may have been requested by applicant.

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